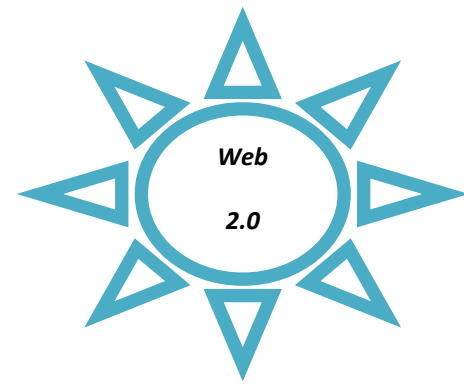


# Biography Project



## Choose a Question:

You are having this person to dinner. What are you going to prepare? Why did you choose it?

You have to fix this person up with another person. Who would be a good match, and why?

You are in charge of purchasing a gift for this person. What will you choose to give to them? Why did you pick that gift?

What most influenced this person?

Using one of the tools below, create a timeline of three big events in the story.



## Web 2.0 Tools:

### REQUIRED – BIOGRAPHY WIKI - EVERYONE MUST PARTICIPATE:

Use the **Biography wiki** through the Library Blackboard site to include a response to the questions above.

Click [Here](#)



### REQUIRED - CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

#### I. Word Cloud

[www.wordle.com](http://www.wordle.com) – word clouds

Use at least 12 words that describe the main character or the sequence of events. If you want a word to appear bigger, use it more times. Be prepared to present this information to the class – what events in the book were catalysts for your word choices?

## II. Remix – Short films

[www.animoto.com](http://www.animoto.com) – select images and key words that summarize this person.

Include 4 text slides and 4 pictures to describe one of the following from your book:

- An important event in this person's life
- describe the person, and your response to them
- you may also use any of the questions at the top of page 1.

Think carefully about your word choices – you may only use a few words on each slide!



### Optional, Recommended:

List class books on [www.librarything.com](http://www.librarything.com), [www.shelfari.com](http://www.shelfari.com), or [weread.com](http://weread.com) “wanna read”, “read” and “do not read”.

List a Book



### More Web2.0 Options – Explore!

#### I. EYEJOT Videos

[www.eyejot.com](http://www.eyejot.com) – tools needed: laptop/webcam

1 minute eyejot videos to share (on a class blog, with each other, or with another class). They will describe 1.) why you might recommend the book to a friend, or 2.) something you might ask if you went out to dinner with the main character or 3.) a gift you might give the main character for their birthday, and why you chose your gift. You may use a different prompt; you must get a different prompt approved by your teacher.

#### II. Windows Movie Maker – START – Programs – Utilities – Window Movie

MakerMake a movie from a power point presentation. It could be a timeline from 3 important events in the story, or a description of a party for the main character.

